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For: USE OF POLYMERS COMPRISING

THERMOPLASTIC POLYMERSAS FILTER

AIDS AND/OR STABILIZERS

Examiner: Popovics

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby submit further information which the Examiner may consider to be material to examination of this application.

The Examiner's attention is directed to the information provided in the remarks below and on the attached PTO/SB/08.

Attention is drawn to an outstanding rejection under 35 USC 112, 2d paragraph in commonly-owned, co-pending application Ser. No. 10/398,179 (Assignee reference no. PF 51823) dated January 20, 2010. The subject matter of the claims of the '179 application is technically related to the subject matter claimed in this application.

Attention is also called to the following co-pending applications which also claim subject matter which might be considered relevant to the current subject matter: Ser. No. 12/443,586 (Assignee reference no: PF 58439); Ser. No. 12/440,803 (Assignee reference no: PF 58349); and Ser. No. 12/531,388 (Assignee reference no: PF 58961).

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